

AT&T/T-Mobile Merger Complaint

The acquisition of T-Mobile by AT&T is unacceptable and will only benefit AT&T and not the consumer. Today we have two GSM providers in the United States, which provides consumers with chooses in the GSM market. By approving this acquisition, it will give AT&T 41% of the market share and will also give control of the GSM network in the United States. From a consumer point of view having only one GSM provider in the nation will limit consumer chose in the GSM market. By looking at the CDMA network, we can see that we have multiple CDMA providers to choose from. This competition allows consumers to have chooses in phone plans, device options and quality of service as well as the price, which is an important factor when choosing wireless carrier. We as a nation need to make sure that consumers will always have a chose and also not allow one carrier to control market of specific technology.

Please deny the acquisition of T-Mobile by AT&T as it hurt the consumer chose in the GSM market.